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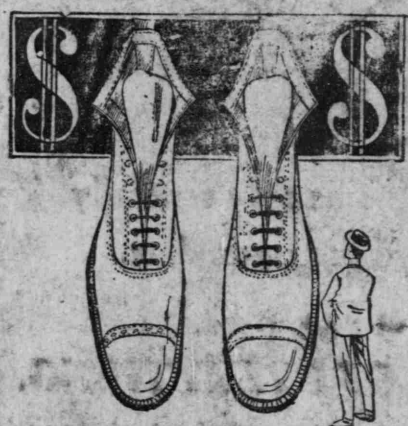
CONTINUED GROWTH.

The Cumberland Telephone & Telegraph Co.

Has issued a statement of its business for the month of November, and the growth in the number of subscribers is noted as follows:

Number of Subscribers November 1st, 1903,	101,736
Number added during the month	3,444
Number discontinued during the month	2,474
Net increase for the month	970
Total Number Subscribers, November 30, 1903,	102,706

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BAIRD & TAYLOR

News Boiled Down.

There are only 16 towns in Tennessee where the new liquor law has not closed the saloons.

George W. Stamper, aged 83, and the father of 16 children of whom 11 are living, died a few days ago in Lewis county.

An eighty-year-old Ohio woman, living near Columbus, eloped with a negro. She had mortgaged her property and turned over all of the money to him.

A Western newspaper says that "E. R. Brace and Miss Edna Bit were married near Joplin, Mo." The paper failed to state whether a minister or a carpenter performed the ceremony.

An Ohio weather prophet, who has kept a record of the weather for fifty years, says that November was the coldest from day to day that this section has ever known during that month.

The Winchester saloons will be kept open after the expiration of their license in order to test the order of the Council refusing to issue license. The keepers have engaged the Hon. Charles Brons to represent them.

Mrs. Fagan, aged 93 years, is dead in Menifee county. She was believed to be the oldest woman in Eastern Kentucky.

The death of Elza Baily, of Bath county, Ky., is attributed to the excessive use of cigarettes.

Reduced wages are threatened for 100,000 miners in the bituminous fields of Maryland, Pennsylvania and parts of West Virginia unless conditions generally improve.

Good BUSINESS.—All merchants who were advertisers in the News during the holidays report a fine Christmas trade. Moral:—Advertise in the News and get the money.

COALS THAT BURN.—Bigstaff Cannel, Black Raven, North and South Jellico. (10dtf) STARK & CO.

WHISKEY.—Four-year-old Vanhook, \$2.00 per gallon, at (10dtf) GEO. T. LYONS'.

THE BOURBON NEWS.

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SWIFT CHAMP, EDITOR AND OWNER.

ANNOUNCEMENTS.

SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS.

We are authorized to announce F. L. McChesney as a candidate for the office of Superintendent of Public Schools of Bourbon county, subject to the action of the Democratic party.

We are authorized to announce Miss Wallace Montague as a candidate for the office of Superintendent of Public Schools of Bourbon county, subject to the action of the Democratic party.

FOR ASSESSOR.

We are authorized to announce Henry S. Caywood as a candidate for Assessor of Bourbon County, with J. U. Boardman as Deputy, subject to the action of the Democratic party.

FOR SHERIFF.

We are authorized to announce E. P. Clarke as a candidate for Sheriff of Bourbon County, with Albert S. Thompson and Wm. F. Talbot as deputies, subject to the action of the Democratic party.

We are authorized to announce Harvey Hilder as a candidate for Sheriff of Bourbon County, with Brutus J. Clay, Jr., and James Burke as deputies, subject to the action of the Democratic party.

In this issue of THE NEWS, will be found the announcement of the candidacy of Mr. F. L. McChesney, for the office of Superintendent of County Schools. Mr. McChesney is well and favorably known throughout the county. He is a Democrat who has worked hard for his party and certainly is deserving of recognition at its hands. No better selection could possibly be made, and if nominated to the office, he would certainly fill the office with credit to himself and the voters of Bourbon county.

UNLESS the negro race is ungateful. Mr. Carnegie has a chittin' supper e. m. ing his way.

THE Maysville Ledger, Republican, says: "Just keep your shirt on, and you'll see how near the Ledger is right when it says Mr. Roosevelt will never be elected President at the United States."

It is said that Senator Hanna, Andrew Carnegie and John D. Rockefeller are the most modest of men in their desires. Well, who wouldn't be modest after getting possession of pretty much all the world?

COAL.—We are sole agents for the celebrated Mountain Ash Jellico Coal. See us before buying.

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MILLERSBURG.

GOOD.—Sam Clay Whisky, at Frank Saloshin's.

Most of the local ice houses have been filled with 4 to 6 inch ice.

Mr. and Mrs. Garrett Jefferson are visiting relatives in Mass.

The \$2,000 fire engine has arrived and will be tested next Wednesday.

Mrs. Oscar Rankin has a few No. 1 Narragansett gobblers for sale.

Miss Eddie Carpenter is home from Hagerman College, at Lexington.

Old Jas. E. Pepper, 90 cents per bottle, at Frank Saloshin's, Paris, Ky.

Most of the students of M. M. I. and M. F. C. colleges are at home for the holidays.

Miss Minnie Rawls, guests of Mrs. Dr. Smith, returned to Sharpsburg, Monday.

Dr. Hamlet Garland, of Vanceburg, is the guest of his uncles here, the Leer brothers.

Mrs. Ralph Miller and son, of Cincinnati, are guests of her sister, Mrs. Clarke Bascom.

Prof. Arthur Klocksein and wife went to Cleveland, Ohio, Wednesday to visit his relatives.

Rev. H. C. Horton's father, at Stanford, is reported much better and he will be home Sunday, to preach.

Mrs. Thos. Conway returned Wednesday from Oakwoods. Her mother, Mrs. Yancy Ray, still remains very ill.

Misses Minnie and Myrtle Cleveland are guests of Misses Mary and Annabell Boulden and Miss Julia Carpenter.

Mr. E. P. Wood, of Stanford, guest of his daughter, Mrs. S. M. Allen, Wednesday and Thursday and attended the Barton cattle sale.

Mr. Priest Kemper, Harvey Letton are home from Lexington college. Drs. Jo Grimes and Arthur Laird are home from Medical College.

Mrs. Turner Perry, of Owingsville, guests of parents, Mr. and Mrs. Thos. McClintock; Miss Adrain Griffith guest of cousins, Misses McClintock.

O. R. Rankin lost an aged broke mule. Choked to death on corn shocks. McIntyre & McClintock lost good mule. Shot by someone with Robert rifle.

The town council has passed an ordinance forbidding fireworks only on December 25, January 1 and July 4th.

JAS. H. WARFORD, Chairman.

Mrs. Sallie Hume and daughter, Miss Arlow, of Fulton, Mo., are guests of their cousin, Mrs. O. R. Rankin.

Mrs. Rankin entertained Wednesday, from 1 to 4, and Miss Kate from 8 to 12, in their honor.

Judge Ed. Hall and family are spending the holidays with relatives at Flemingsburg, Ky.

Mr. and Mrs. R. R. Rankin and family at Newport with relatives; Miss Katie and family at Stanford with aunt, Mrs. J. H. Howe.

A SOLLOQUY.—A married man soliloquizes thus of the gentler sex: "There is gladness in her gladness when she's glad, and there is sadness in her sadness when she's sad; but the gladness of her gladness and the sadness of her sadness, are nothing to her madness when she's mad."

AFTER you have finished reading your copy of the BOURBON NEWS, hand it to a neighbor and invite him to read it and become a subscriber.

The coming Legislature is away above the average in intellect and integrity. The reason of this is there are fewer Republicans than for many years, says the Georgetown News.

\$10 REWARD.—For return of Small Black Leather Pocket Book containing \$33, all in paper; five \$5.00 bills and eight \$1.00 bills. \$10 will be paid for return of same to the BOURBON NEWS or GEORGE WESTLEY, Jacksonville, Ky.

SAY!—Talk to T. Porter Smith about the insurance. (18nv-1f)



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